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Re: App. No. 09/874,878; Docket No. 2001-0161C

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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal	Application Number: 09/874,878
	Filing Date: June 5, 2001
	First Named Inventor: Atul Puri
Address to: Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Art Unit: 2613
	Examiner Name: Y. Young Lee
	Attorney Docket Number: 2001-0161C

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.
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1. ☐ **Submission required under 37 CFR 1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).

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      i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

      ii. ☐ Other _____

   b. ☑ Enclosed

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      ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/ Declaration(s)   iv. ☑ Other Terminal Disclaimer

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   a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)

   b. ☑ Other PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME — if necessary

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      ii. ☑ Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)

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Name (Print/Type)	Thomas M. Isaacson	Registration No.	44166

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Effective on 12/08/2004. Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). **FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005**	Complete if Known	
	Application Number	09/874,878
	Filing Date	June 5, 2001
	First Named Inventor	Atul Puri
☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27	Examiner Name	Y. Lee
	Art Unit	2613
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT ($) 1370	Attorney Docket No.	2001-0161C

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Application Type	FILING FEES Fee ($)	Small Entity Fee ($)	SEARCH FEES Fee ($)	Small Entity Fee ($)	EXAMINATION FEES Fee ($)	Small Entity Fee ($)	Fees Paid ($)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee ($)	Small Entity Fee ($)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee ($)	Fee Paid ($)
____ - 20 or HP =	____ x ____	= ____	

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee ($)	Fee Paid ($)
____ - 3 or HP =	____ x ____	= ____	

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

Multiple Dependent Claims
Fee ($) ____ Fee Paid ($) ____

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Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee ($)	Fee Paid ($)
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

	Fees Paid ($)
Non-English Specification, $130 fee (no small entity discount)	
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): RCE Filing (790), Ext. of time (450), Terminal Disclaimer Fees (130)	1370

SUBMITTED BY

Signature	_signature_	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)		Telephone 410414-3056
Name (Print/Type)	Thomas M. Isaacson			Date June 9th, 2005

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